

PROPOSITION 1A
Protection of Local Government Revenues
Resolution Chapter 133, Statutes of 2004 (SCA 4)
Sponsor: Senator Tom Torlakson

Date August 4, 2004

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PROTECTION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT REVENUES

Ensures local property tax and sales tax revenues remain with local government thereby safeguarding funding for public safety, health, libraries, parks, and other local services. Provisions can only be suspended if the Governor declares a fiscal necessity and two-thirds of the Legislature concur. Fiscal Impact: Higher local government revenues than otherwise would have been the case, possibly in the billions of dollars annually over time. Any such local revenue impacts would result in decreased resources to the state of similar amounts.

SUBJECT TO COURT
ORDERED CHANGES

PROPOSITION 65

Date: July 15, 2004

Local Government Funds, Revenues.

State Mandates. Initiative Constitutional Amendment

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**LOCAL GOVERNMENT FUNDS, REVENUES. STATE MANDATES.
INITIATIVE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.**

Requires voter approval for reduction of local fee/tax revenues. Permits suspension of state mandate if no state reimbursement to local government within 180 days after obligation determined. Fiscal Impact: Higher local government revenues than otherwise would have been the case, possibly in the billions of dollars annually over time. Any such local revenue impacts would result in decreased resources to the state of similar amounts.

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